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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: CA1163

Peter R. BEETHAM, et al.

Appln. No. 09/685,403

Group Art Unit: 1638

Confirmation No.: 4644

Examiner: KRUSE, David H.

Filed: October 10, 2000

For: NON-TRANSGENIC HERBICIDE RESISTANT PLANTS

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

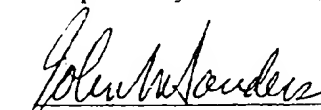
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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of one month(s), extending the time for responding to the Office Action mailed February 13, 2002 to June 13, 2002.

A check for the statutory fee of \$110.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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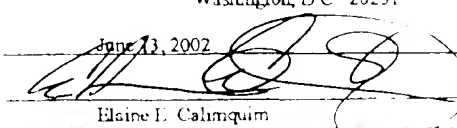
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